



## File Petitions For Nominations

Four o'clock, Tuesday, July 23rd, was the closing time for filing petitions for nominations for political offices. Except for the office of prosecuting attorney, the Democratic office is complete. The Republicans leave blank the offices of county clerk and register of deeds.

The former party presents but one contest—for the office of sheriff. The applications as filed are as follows:

Republican ticket—  
Prosecuting Attorney—Merle F. Nellist.  
Treasurer—Wm. Ferguson.  
Clerk—  
Register of Deeds—  
Sheriff—John A. Papendick.  
Coroner—Norman E. Butler.

Democrat ticket—  
Prosecuting Attorney—  
Treasurer—Carl J. Jensen.  
Clerk—Axel M. Peterson.  
Register of Deeds—Ronnow Hanson.  
Sheriff—Orel Levan.  
Coroner—Jerry Sherman.

While the above names of candidates appear on partisan tickets, there is another ticket for the office of probate judge.

Following are those whose names will appear on the ticket:

Charles E. Moore.  
Clayton McDonnell.  
Joseph Denno.

Mr. Moore is the present incumbent and is a Republican, while McDonnell and Denno are Democrats. The political affiliation, however, has nothing to do in this case as two years ago the people voted an amendment taking the offices of all classes of judges, including circuit court commissioners out of politics. The two candidates having the highest number of votes will compete in the election November 5th.

The primary election will be held September 10th. At that time there will be a separate ticket for each political party. The voter will receive one ballot of each party, each numbered the same and all supplied together in one bunch. From this group he may select and vote one.

The primary ballot will contain the names of the candidates for the offices of governor, lieutenant governor, United States senator, congressman, state senator, member of the state legislature, besides those already mentioned on the county ballot.

Just as soon as the list of candidates for the state and district offices are posted the Avalanche will publish the complete list.

## HALF PRICE STATE FAIR TICKETS ON SALE HERE

Advance half-price tickets to the 1940 Michigan State Fair, to be held the first week in September at the State Fairgrounds north of Detroit, are on sale in limited numbers at the following places: Ford agencies, Hi-Speed stations, county agent's office, Cunningham drug stores, and the State Fair office. The advance sale will close soon.

## Frank Peck Dies In Lansing

Francis Oscar Peck, better known as "Frank," passed away Friday night July 19, at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Harry Wright, in Lansing.

The body was removed to the Robinson-Barber funeral home, Lansing, and funeral services were held Monday in Grayling from the Grayling Funeral Home, Mr. Butler cooperating with the Lansing directors.

Francis Oscar Peck was born at Antrim, Shiawassee county, August 2, 1852. In 1878 he married Sarah O. Sewell, and in 1882 they came to Grayling to make their home. To this union four children were born, Jesse and Amy who died in early childhood, Alma (Mrs. Henry Gostow) who passed away in 1914 and Gladys (Mrs. Harry Wright).

Mr. Peck was a member of the First Presbyterian church, Grayling, and a Past Grand Master of the I. O. O. F. lodge, No. 70, West Branch.

Besides the widow and daughter, Mr. Peck is survived by a granddaughter, Mary Jane Wright of Lansing and three nephews—Will Peck of Woodland, Calif., Byron Peck of Morrisville, and Henry Peck of Perry.

Those from out of town in attendance at the funeral included Henry Peck and daughter, Miss Letha Peck, of Perry; Mr. and Mrs. Byron Peck of Morrisville; Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright, Miss Mary Jane Wright, Mrs. Rose Pond, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dillane, all of Lansing; Mrs. Fred Esweman, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sewell, and Mr. James Sewell, of Flint; Mrs. Frank Robbins and Mrs. Dorothy Brady of St. Clair Shores; Mr. and Mrs. William Tatro, of Berkeley; Mrs. Ora Rothgayer of Breckenridge; Mr. Erwin DeLong of Ovid; Mr. Frank DeLong of Midland; Mr. J. C. Marsh of Otisville and Mr. Frank Robinson of Lansing.

The Peck family have many friends in Grayling, who join in extending sympathy to them in their sorrow.

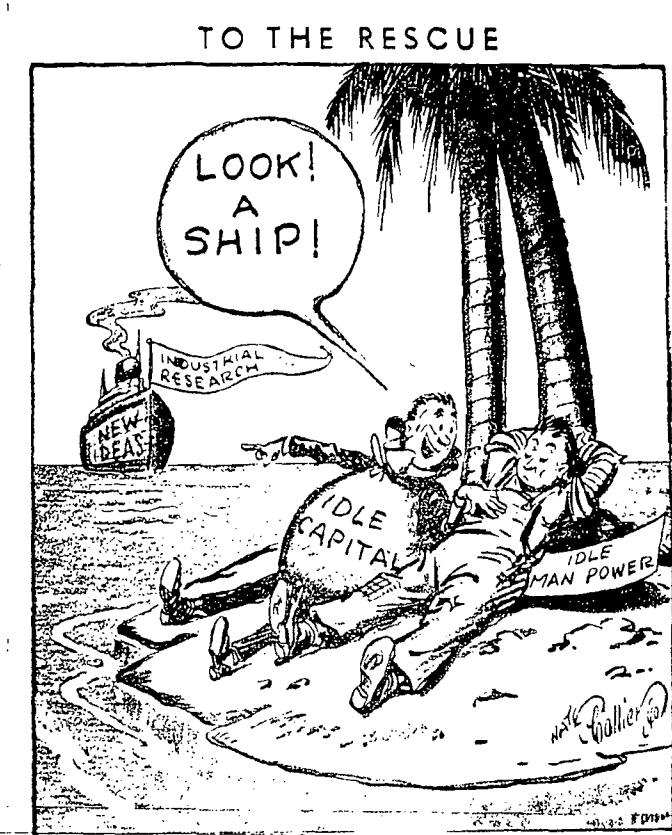
## "PAL" IS FROM RARE PALOMINO STRAIN

Attractive Stallion Owned By Alex Atkinson

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## Highway Com. Getting Another Big Sum

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## Doings at National Guard Camp

RIFLE TEAMS PRACTICE AT RESERVATION

Rifle teams and sharpshooters have been making good use of the National Guard rifle range during the past week. A group of 127 men entered into the contests, firing over 10 million rounds of ammunition.

While most of these men are in some way connected with the National Guard, they were here strictly on their own in order to "practice up." They were here several days and occupied tents. Meals were provided in the canteen dining hall.

Workmen are busy constructing about 20 new mess halls and houses at the National Guard camp. This is a pretty busy place this summer, at least in the absence of the Michigan brigade.

## WAREHOUSES BEING EMPTIED

Trucks have been busy hauling away supplies from the big military warehouses, taking them to the National Guard armories throughout the state.

The supplies consist of just about everything a soldier needs, from hat to shoes, tents, etc. When the troops start for Camp McCoy in Wisconsin about August 7th these supplies will be in the hands of the several organizations who will be responsible for their delivery to the Wisconsin camp.

On August 7th Capt. John Erkes and seven men, of the Camp Supply Department of the Michigan brigade of the National Guard will leave Grayling for Camp McCoy, Wisconsin. Over night stops will be made at Kalamazoo and Fort Atkinson. The Michigan Brigade is scheduled for a month's training and will return to their home stations in Michigan September 3rd.

## OFFICERS MET IN GRAYLING

Last Saturday night and Sunday 257 officers of Michigan National Guard were in Grayling to receive instructions for the summer encampment and on mobilization. The meetings were held at the officers club house.

Among those present were Adj. Gen. John S. Bersy, Col. LeRoy Pearson, Brig. Gen. John Collier, commanding officer of the Michigan Brigade. Also in attendance were Lt. Col. Francis X. Ritter, quartermaster of the 32nd division consisting of the Michigan and Wisconsin Brigades.

## GIVE TEA AND SHOWER FOR MISS JAYNE KEYPORT

Some forty ladies received these messages from Western Union:

Special Weather Forecast  
Shower scheduled. Downpour of linen for Jayne Keyport. Lake Michigan, Saturday, July 20th, 3 P. M.

Signed,  
Jerome, Ballman, Jerome, Jr., Weather Bureau.

Mrs. Benjamin Jerome assisted by her daughter, Mrs. Donald Ballman, and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Benjamin Jerome, Jr., opened summer home at Lake Margrethe for a delightful tea and linen shower for Miss Jayne Keyport Saturday afternoon.

On arrival the ladies were given cocktail napkins and needle and thread with which they were to design a fancy corner. They were most unique and interesting when finished.

It was a real downpour of linen that were found in the lovely packages that were unwrapped by the bride-elect later in the afternoon.

Tea was served from a table centered with an unusual crystal ornament while varicolored flowers brightened the living room and porch where the guests were received.

## ENTERTAIN FOR MISS JAYNE KEYPORT

Mrs. Richard Snyder and Mrs. Henry Wilcox were co-hostesses at the summer home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hanson at Lake Margrethe at a luncheon bridge for Miss Jayne Keyport Friday afternoon.

The twelve ladies spent the afternoon playing bridge. Miss Georgiana Olson having the highest score. Miss Keyport was favored with the honor guest gift.

Guests included besides the honor guest, Mrs. Donald Ballman, Midland; Mrs. Benjamin Jerome, Pontiac; Mrs. Carl J. Bauer, Jr., Saginaw; Mrs. Charles Wheeler, Detroit; Mrs. Harold Kittleman, Chicago; Miss Margrethe Bauman, Miss Georgiana Olson and Mrs. Harold MacNeven.

## The Generosity of Michigan Lawyers

Let the world's lawyers be mentioned to the average Michigan citizen, a generation ago, and the mental reaction would probably form a picture along one of the following lines:

A "trouble specialist" who was summoned in an emergency, ready when someone became entangled with the law.

A fee-motivated expert with a costly vocabulary.

A professional man who made and in everybody's eyes business and never did anything about his own.

A man who drafted bills and helped to run legislatures.

A man who was hired by criminals to defeat justice.

There were yesterday's Michigan lawyers about the all they allowed, the professional man of the bar whose which for years past plagued one of the most potent and influential groups in American life.

Michigan State Bar

For the purpose of effectively raising the standards of the profession and of applying the law to the courts to improve the administration of justice, the Michigan State Bar was created by act of the 1935 legislature and rules of the Michigan Supreme court.

Headquarters office is located at Lansing in charge of Henry J. Wolfenden, Jr., executive secretary, with a branch in Detroit.

Every lawyer in active practice in the state—approximately 10,000 in all—must pay annual dues of \$5 to maintain his membership in the organization.

What has the State Bar done since its creation? It has been the public's assistant in many ways.

Its record of achievement is noteworthy.

## Free Legal Aid

The State Bar of Michigan accepts reference of every request for legal aid from both the attorney general's office and the governor's office. In addition, it receives numerous requests for legal aid direct from the public.

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## Kiwanis Club Notes

The Kiwanis Club of Grayling held its regular meeting last night at the club house. The meeting was well attended and the program was very interesting.

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## State Treasurer Duncel Confers with Finns



Preparedness problems in the state of Michigan were discussed in Detroit recently when State Treasurer Miller Duncel, a veteran of the World War, met with Finlands Minister to the United States, H. J. Procopio.

The above photograph shows, left to right, Lawrence L. Heide-

## COUPLE SURPRISED ON WEDDING ANNIVERSARY

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Ballman paid little heed to the fact that their 20th wedding anniversary was being celebrated. They were surprised on the day, which was Sunday, and then were surprised on the day, which was Sunday.

The whole affair was a complete surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Ballman and they were very happy. East Jordan was the birth home of the Ballmans and it was from there that many of their friends came for the celebration.

Tables were set on the lawn and a pot luck picnic dinner enjoyed. The 20th anniversary calls for gifts of china and the couple received a beautiful set of china dishes from the East Jordan folk.

Attractive bouquets were arranged throughout the rooms and in the center of the long table at which the guests found their places.

Two tables of bridge were in play following the luncheon, with M. C. G. Clippert and Mrs. Clippert of Los Angeles, Calif., holding the high scores. Mrs. Kraus received the guest gift.

Amelia has plenty to fight for right here at home without going to Europe. We know what happened to Norway, Holland, Denmark, Belgium, and France. We'll be kept quite busy watching the foreign isms working here at home.

## Public Notice

1940 City taxes now due and payable at City office. Last date for payment without penalty, August 1.

Florence Butler, City Treasurer.

## Bids for Coal

For the furnishing of approximately 40 tons for use at Crawford County Infirmary. Bids will be received at the Department of Social Welfare in Crawford county court house, up to 12:00 o'clock noon of Monday, July 29th, 1940.

Matt Budvia, Director, Grayling, Mich.





## Annual School Report

### Grayling Township School District No. 1

The Annual School meeting of Grayling Township School District No. 1 was held in the assembly room of Grayling High School on Monday, July 8th, 1940.

The meeting was called to order by President T. P. Peterson who then requested the Secretary, Roy Milnes, to read the official call of the meeting. The call was read by the secretary. The minutes of the last Annual meeting were then read by the Secretary. On motion made by Charles Moore and supported by O. P. Schumann the minutes were approved as read. Motion carried.

The Secretary was then asked to read the financial report for the year. The report was read and showed a balance on hand of \$1,139.27, on June 30th, 1940. Motion made by Charles Moore and supported by Dr. C. R. Keyport that the report be accepted and approved. Motion carried.

The annual budget as presented to the County Board of Tax Commissioners was next read by the secretary and he stated that the per centum allowed the School District was 3 (three) mills. Moved by O. P. Schumann and supported by George Granger that the budget as presented be approved and adopted. Motion carried.

The election of one trustee followed. A. J. Joseph was nominated to succeed himself. Dr. C. G. Clippert was also nominated. The President appointed as tellers Dan C. Babbitt, Mrs. M. E. Gorman and George Granger. The tellers were sworn in by Judge of Probate Charles E. Moore. The tellers passed the ballots and collected the votes. There were seventeen votes cast. Dr. Clippert receiving eleven and A. J. Joseph receiving six. Dr. Clippert receiving the most votes was declared elected.

General discussion of school affairs followed. There being no further business to come before the meeting a motion was made and supported that the meeting be adjourned. Roy O. Milnes, Secretary.

Board of Education Grayling School District No. 1.

Annual School Report of Grayling Township School District No. 1 for the school year ending June 30th, 1940.

#### RECEIPTS

Balance on hand June 30th, 1939	\$ 1,178.07
Primary School money	7,638.40
Primary supplement fund	7,797.58
Equalization fund	15,328.31
Tuition (State)	2,665.30
Tuition (Other districts)	160.00
City Taxes (1938)	1,442.13
City Taxes (1939)	1,691.61
Township taxes	1,100.55
Delinquent taxes	2,754.19
Smith Hughes Fund (State and Federal)	627.20
Library Fund	682.00
School supply sales	494.47
Rents	185.77
Total	\$43,745.56

#### EXPENDITURES

General Control	
Salaries Board of Education: T. P. Peterson	\$ 20.00
Emil Giegling	20.00
James McDonnell	20.00
A. J. Joseph	20.00
R. O. Milnes	300.00
Crawford Avalanche, printing	24.00
The Reagle Press, printing	41.04
Palmer Fire Insurance Agency, Treasurer's bond	40.00
J. Chris Jensen, census enumerator	50.00
Dorothy Roberts, office help	362.59
J. McDonnell, Postmaster, stamped envelopes	16.24
Total	\$913.87

#### Instructional Service

Allyn & Bacon Co., books	\$ 87.50
American Book Co., books	16.20
Book Supply Co., books	3.49
Educational Music Co., books	9.95
Ginn & Co., books	146.43
Lyons & Carnahan Co., books	36.90
Laidlaw Bros., books	89.28
Laurel Book Co., books	470.00
Scott, Foresman Co., books	201.68
Clayton Summy Co., books	2.77
World Book Co., books	25.17

Webster Publishing Co., books	11.88
Athletic Specialty Co., supplies	4.47
A. S. Burrows, supplies	7.97
Crawford Avalanche, supplies	65.90
Connine Grocery, supplies	121.06
Grayling Mercantile Co., supplies	2.04
Ginn & Co., supplies	7.76
Gover's Central Supply	34.61
Hiler's, supplies	10.78
Hillsdale School Supply, supplies	41.68
F. Jewell Music Co., supplies	13.31
Keystone View Co., supplies	24.85
Lowe & Campbell Co., supplies	61.13
Laidlaw Bros., supplies	15.89
Michigan School Service, supplies	438.72
E. P. McFadden Co., supplies	103.95
A. N. Palmer Co., supplies	19.34
Ruband Inc., supplies	7.29
Rand McNally Co., supplies	30.03
Row, Peterson Co., supplies	3.70
Stratmore Co., supplies	5.07
Zanesville Stoneware Co., supplies	2.00
Reginald F. Fennell Co., library books	30.00
H & K Publishing Co., library books	28.00
Michigan Crippled Children's Commission, tuition	13.40
Gerald L. Poor, salary	\$2,600.00
Frank L. Bond, salary	1,850.00
Willard Cornell, salary	1,850.00
Cecil Roberts, salary	1,525.00
Joseph Stripe, salary	1,525.00
Herbert Rowland, salary	1,525.00
Eva Dorr, salary	1,525.00
Josephine Nichols, salary	1,525.00
Martina Johnson, salary	1,525.00
Eleanor Tumath, salary	1,525.00
Jean Hays, salary	1,525.00
Ina M. Tapio, salary	1,275.00
Gladys Anderson, salary	1,250.00
Eileen LaFave, salary	1,250.00
Vivian Hewens, salary	1,300.00
Margaret Douglas, salary	1,275.00
Viola Woelmer, salary	1,250.00
Ruth Patten, salary	1,250.00
Margaret Fyvie, salary	1,425.00
Margaret Geedey, salary	1,250.00
Mary Tilk, salary	1,200.00
Elsie McKibbin, salary	739.63
Mrs. Emerson Frye, substitute teacher	21.00
Mrs. A. Braidwood, substitute teacher	15.00
Mrs. Roy Trudgeon, substitute teacher	27.00
Mrs. Frank Bond, substitute teacher	28.50
Mrs. Norman Butler, substitute teacher	27.00
Total	\$33,097.10

#### Auxiliary and Co-Ordinate Activities

Bay City Business College, tests	\$ 45.00
Corwin Auto Sales, school bus expense	283.58
Glenn Frye, Commencement speaker	28.00
Mrs. M. Gorman, school nurse	1,000.00
Harry F. Kelly, Secretary of State, bus license	.50
F. Matson	26.00
Mac & Gidley, supplies	34.94
Eleanor Tumath, expense on trip for the school	4.91
Total	\$1,422.93

#### Operation of the Plant:

Acme Chemical Co., janitor supplies	\$ 56.50
P. B. Gast Co., janitor supplies	90.00
Alfred Hanson, janitor supplies	2.10
A. Hoels, janitor freight	4.15
Michigan School Service, janitor freight	212.06
Theo. B. Robertson Co., janitor supplies	3.48
Short Freight Lines, janitor freight	3.11
Standard Oil Co., janitor supplies	68.94
W. M. Welsh Mfg. Co., janitor supplies	22.96
City of Grayling, water and sewer	185.24
City of Grayling, lights and power	58.02
L. Doremire, labor	34.00
Eva Dorr, labor	110.00
Carl Hanson, hauling coal	72.55
Carl Hanson, hauling cinders	9.00
Oscar Goss, janitor	1,455.00
Walter LaMotte, janitor	1,139.50
Grayling Fuel Co., coal	694.30
Emil Niederer, coal	633.86
Clare Madsen, wood	3.50
Michigan Public Service Co., lights and power	427.05
Tri-County Telephone Co., telephones and service	114.55
H. N. White Co., repairs on equipment	8.35
Total	\$5,408.24

#### Fixed Charges

H. J. Jarmun Agency, school bus insurance	\$ 80.77
Palmer Fire Insurance Co., insurance	59.80
Frank Sales Agency, insurance	178.30
Total	\$318.87

#### Maintenance

C. Belknap, repairs on trees	\$ 47.00
A. Cripps, cleaning flags	1.50
Crawford Co. Road Commission, repairs	6.00
H. J. Demar, cleaning septic tanks	40.00
H. Dale, repairing motors	7.00
Grayling Lumber & Supply Co., materials	200.71
Grayling Greenhouses, supplies	10.32
Hanson Hardware Co., supplies	332.95
Huntington Lab. Inc., supplies	114.93
M. E. Gorman, painting	44.40
John Ward, painting	48.75
Holland Furnace Co., cleaning furnace	6.00
Anton Kangas, carpenter labor	19.50
Kerry & Hanson Mfg. Co., materials	43.90
Mills Jewelers, repairing clocks	9.00
Claude Manuel, plastering	6.00
S. D. Palmer, labor and materials	53.60
Albert Rehkopf, labor and materials	38.90
E. V. Smith Piano Service, labor and materials	33.50
Singer Sewing Machine Co., supplies	1.50
Charles Wilbur, labor on boiler	30.50
York Band Instrument Co., repairs	81.25
Eddy & Cuthart Co., repairs	81.25
Total	\$1,178.71

#### Debt Service

Grayling State Savings Bank, interest on notes	\$138.57
Grayling State Savings Bank, overdrafts	3.00
Total	\$141.57

#### Capital Outlay

P. Mathews, horn	\$50.00
Herbert Rowland, horn	75.00
Total	\$125.00

#### Recapitulation of Expenditures

General control	\$ 913.87
Instructional service, teachers	31,408.51
Other instructional service	1,688.59
Auxiliary and co-ordinate activities	1,422.93
Operation of the plant	5,408.24
Fixed charges	318.87
Maintenance	1,178.71
Debt service	141.57
Capital Outlay	125.00
Total	\$42,806.29

Revenues for the year including balance on hand June 30, 1939	\$43,745.56
Balance on hand June 30th, 1940	\$1,139.27

#### KEEP ABREAST OF POPULARITY OF ROOSEVELT AND WILLKIE

From now until election day the big topic will be "Who's going to win?" If you want FACTS on public opinion instead of GUESSES, read America Speaks. These polls conducted by Dr. George Gallup, famous research authority, owe their uncanny accuracy to scientific sampling of the public, a sampling which gets such an accurate cross-section of the Nation's voting strength that results are sure to be within one or two per cent of perfect! Watch for this helpful and interesting feature exclusively in Michigan in The Detroit News.

#### Puerto Rico's Climate

The average nighttime temperature of Puerto Rican mountain towns like Aibonito, Cidra, Isabela, Jayuya, Maricao and San German is 65 degrees.

**North Bound Buses**  
Daily  
4:06 a. m.  
2:13 p. m.  
8:18 p. m.

**South Bound Buses**  
Daily  
12:15 p. m.  
8:22 p. m.  
12:52 a. m.  
Ticket Office  
Shoppenagons Inn  
Phone 3581

**BLUE GOOSE LINES**

**\$4,500,000** TESTIFIES TO THE  
DAMAGE WIND CAN  
DO IN MICHIGAN!



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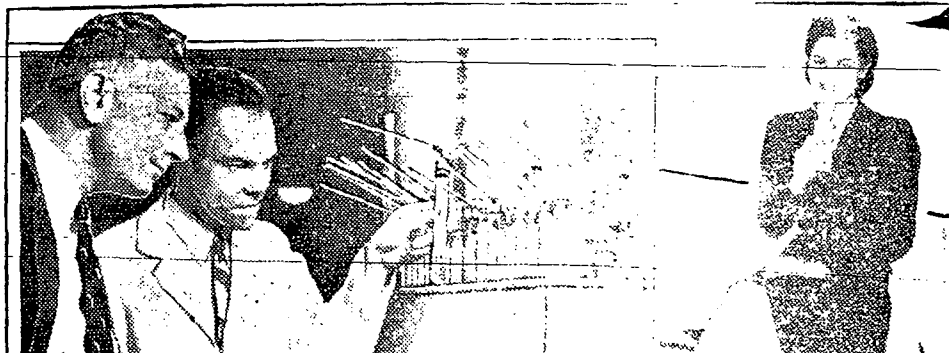
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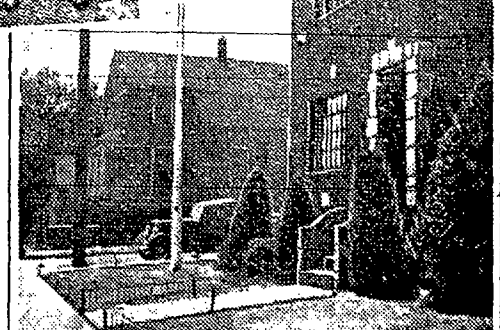
Miss Florida Cools Off—During the 1940 Miss Florida, Miss Lillian, relaxes at the New York World's Fair with a taste of butter, which is cooling on a hot summer day.



Record Breaker—Otto Jaretz, 18 year old high school student who bettered the free style swimming record in 2 min. and 13.1 sec. in the recent National Amateur Athletic Union meet.



Miss Jessica Ogilvie, one of the Seven famous Ogilvie Sisters, hair specialists, arrives in New York, headquarters of her international business, from visit to Honolulu. The anthuriums which she is carrying were picked two weeks previously in Hawaii, and she has kept them fresh during the boat and train trip home.



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**News Briefs**

THURSDAY, JULY 25, 1940

Special: \$1.95 Keddettes at \$1.49, at Olsons.

Mrs. Stanley Hummel and baby have returned to their home in Maple Forest.

Mrs. John Dunn spent Sunday at the home of her brother William Bigham, at Maple Forest.

Mr. Ernest Winston and Mrs. Earl Lovely enjoyed a visit last week from their parents of Calumet City, Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Vincent of Flint spent the week end at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Sherman.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry DuVal and son of Peoria, Ill., spent the week end visiting Mrs. DuVal's parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Bielski.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Winston expect a visit from the former's brother Guy Winston and family of Hammond, Ind. They are expected to arrive Monday.

Wesley and Raymond Woodford of Detroit accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Papendick from Fyfe Lake where they attended the funeral of their grandmother, Mrs. Eliza Newell.

Mrs. P. P. Mahoney, daughter Miss Rosemary and son Bob, and Miss Lucille Young of Bay City are spending this week at one of the VanVleck cottages at Lake Margrethe.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bielski had as their guests over the week end Mr. and Mrs. Jule Gerhart of Detroit. Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Wolfe and children of Detroit were guests at the Bielski home for the past two weeks. The ladies are sisters of Mrs. Bielski.

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Miss Delores LaMotte is on the sick list.

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Emory Confer of Flint spent the week end visiting relatives in Grayling.

Mrs. Ed Moore has returned home from Toledo where she spent some time visiting relatives. Betty Lou and Emma Louise Wilson are spending several weeks visiting friends in Detroit.

Mr. Daniel Jarmin left Tuesday to spend sometime visiting his sister, Mrs. C. Moore in Bay City.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Stepan and children are spending two weeks at The Meadows, on the AuSable.

Miss Jean Thorne of Alpena is the guest of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Darveau for a couple of weeks.

Dr. and Mrs. R. A. VanVleck have just completed a permanent home of logs at their trailer camp on Lake Margrethe.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry J. Hedrick of Flint have just completed the erection of a cozy log cabin on their lot at Lake Margrethe.

Mrs. Jack Daily has returned from Mexico and will make her home here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bigham.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Haire and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Flower were in Bay City Sunday, returning home Monday.

A few friends dropped in on Miss Odie Sheehy Saturday evening to help her celebrate her birthday anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Nicholson of Detroit have come to Grayling to reside and the former is the new barber at Ernie Olson's barber shop.

Miss Gail Welsh had as her guests over the week end, Miss Phyllis Stirling and Bill Palmer of Saginaw, and Raleigh Sophers of Ann Arbor.

The Danish Sunday school picnic will be held at the Higgins Lake State park July 31st. They will leave Danabod hall at 9:00 a. m. Come with cars if convenient.

District Elder T. H. Reid of Alpena will hold meetings at the South Side Free Methodist church beginning Friday night and continuing to Sunday night inclusive.

Mrs. Edward Cowell (Loraine Nelson) of South Bend, Ind., visited relatives in Grayling Tuesday. She is spending some time visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Nelson in Gaylord.

Miss Rosemary Robideau returned to Detroit Sunday after a two weeks visit with her grandmother, Mrs. Victor Sorenson. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robideau, came to accompany her home.

Mrs. Charles O. McCullough enjoyed having as her guests from Thursday to Sunday, her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Holst, who were accompanied by Attorney and Mrs. O'Leary of Detroit.

Jimmy and Bobby McClain are having a party today to celebrate their birthdays. Jimmy will be 8 years old on August 1st and Bobby is 6 years old today. They plan to go swimming and afterwards there will be birthday cake and other good things to eat.

Mrs. H. W. Kuhlman had the misfortune to fall from the steps at Michelson Memorial church Sunday after the morning service. She fell bruising the side of her face and her glasses were broken, cutting her face, and she also is nursing a badly sprained left ankle and right wrist.

Miss Alberta Kruger is the new bookkeeper at Baker Garage.

Miss Patricia Roberts is spending the week visiting relatives in Lansing.

Bob Hanson is the guest of the week visiting his sister, Mrs. J. Lukeke in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. White of Lansing were week end guests of the A. L. Roberts family.

Special: 50 pairs womens white and colored slippers and sandals at 89 cents. All sizes, at Olsons.

A son, Earl Darveau, of the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Darveau, left Friday, July 19.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. A. Cassidy and Mrs. Eliza Cody of Marquette are guests of Mrs. Linda Kesler.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Akers and children of Harrisville visited at the Perry Akers home over Sunday.

Alfred Hanson reports the sale of a special delivery Chevrolet sport sedan to Marvin Leach of Higgins Lake.

Mrs. Olaf M. Nelson arrived Saturday from Detroit and is at her summer home at Lake Margrethe.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Berry of Bay City and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Birdsell of New Lothrop, were guests at the Strope cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Dr. and Mrs. C. J. Hartaway of Lake Orion are spending the week here guests of Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Clark. The Doctor is spending much of his time fishing.

Mrs. Adler Jorgenson and son Benton Jorgenson and the latter's son Wally left Monday to spend a couple of weeks visiting relatives in southern Illinois.

Mr. Ervin Cady, who has been in Idaho and Arizona for several years, arrived home last week and will remain a month. He is very much improved in health.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Foudley, Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Ebner and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Marlatt of Detroit were week end guests at the Strope cottage.

Paul and Junior Decher of Detroit returned to their home after vacationing at the home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McClain at Lake Margrethe.

Earl Gierke is enjoying a couple of weeks vacation from his teaching duties at the Saginaw Business Institute and is spending it at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Gierke.

Mrs. James Carver of Saginaw, a former resident of Grayling, is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Alice L. Moore.

Also the latter's brother Arthur and wife of Detroit are visiting here.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernie J. Corwin of Flint came to Grayling Sunday as the former was laid up with a couple of weeks. Wednesday he underwent a tonsillectomy at Mercy Hospital.

Mr. Ernest DuVal and daughter Estheline returned to their home in Monroe Wednesday after a five weeks visit in Grayling. Her mother Mrs. Peter F. Jorgenson and brother Elmer accompanied them home for a few days visit.

Gloria Moore returned Sunday from a month's stay at Camp Maqua on Lake Lake, near Hale, Mich. She said she liked camp and enjoyed swimming, taking archery and riding. She said her favorite horses names were Ben, Lady, Beauty, Dock, Bonnie and Dewey.

Mr. and Mrs. William E. McCullough entertained Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kay of Detroit at their cabin on the AuSable for the week end. Mr. Kay was among the first troops who mobilized at Camp Grayling at the beginning of the World war conflict. The McCulloughs are returning to Detroit Friday after a three weeks stay at their cabin.

The crew at the Fish Hatchery are busy these hot days giving the fish a salt bath. The temperature of the water in the ponds has been 72 degrees, which is too warm for trout causing some to die. The fish are taken out of the ponds and put into a solution of salt water for a short time and then put back into the ponds. This seems to make the fish more active.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cross of Beaver Creek had as guests during the week end Mr. and Mrs. Harry Wright, Miss Mary Jane Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dilline, Mrs. Rosetta Pond, Mrs. Frank Peck, all of Lansing, and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Sewell, Mrs. Fred Esmen, and James Sewell of Flint and vicinity, and J. C. Marsh, of Otisville.

Guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Dawson this week are the latter's three sisters, Mrs. James Olson of Grand Blanc, Mrs. William Pobur of Detroit and Mrs. Cass Chamberlain and daughters Bonnie Lou and Sue of Oxford. Clayton Olson accompanied his mother here, remaining over the week end. The ladies are all visiting their father Hans Petersen, who has been ill, but who is feeling some better.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen of Flint spent the week at the home of J. M. Wilcox.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Cardinal and Mrs. James Perry spent Sunday visiting at Hale.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Winston of Maple Forest spent Tuesday in Grayling on business.

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Mr. and Mrs. Fred Weiss accompanied their daughter, Nell, to Camp Maqua, Lake Lake on Wednesday. Nell will remain for two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Courty of Detroit spent the week end visiting at the latter's mother, Mrs. N. L. Natter.

Jerome Brady is home from Detroit as the shop where he is employed is having its annual summer shut down.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Metter and children of Coleman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Enyart Tuesday and Wednesday.

Mrs. C. R. Keypat, Miss Jayne Keypat and Mrs. C. G. Clippert were in Detroit the first part of the week on business.

Mrs. Stuart Jones and daughter of Lansing are spending a couple of weeks visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James McNeven.

Richard Kennedy, two year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Kennedy, fell from their porch one day last week, breaking his left arm.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Fenski of Bay City spent Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kernosky. Mrs. Fenski is a sister of Mr. Kernosky.

Mr. and Mrs. Axel Peterson and children and Mr. and Mrs. Melvyn E. Vart attended a family reunion at Lake Lake, near Alma, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Moyer of Chicago are spending some time visiting Supt. and Mrs. George Schable at the Military Camp.

Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Jerome of Saginaw returned to their home Sunday to visit Mrs. Jerome's mother, Mrs. M. A. Bates, who is reported as being ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Catlin of Toledo arrived Thursday to spend a couple of weeks vacation visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Catlin.

Mr. and Mrs. James Fletcher returned to their home in Lansing after spending some time visiting their daughter, Mrs. George Schable and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Gilman of Detroit and daughter Lucille, of Saginaw were guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Roberts Wednesday and Thursday of last week.

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Mrs. A. J. Joseph and daughter of Saginaw left Sunday to attend a summer show in Detroit. Her husband accompanied them as far as Lansing where he has accepted a position in the office of the State Police.

Some thirty friends of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Crum Jr., drove out to the Crum farm Tuesday afternoon to celebrate the newlyweds. After the usual amount of horseback riding the group enjoyed a barbecue roast.

Mrs. Joe Skoda of Brighton is a guest at the A. L. Roberts home this week. Mrs. Skoda was formerly Mrs. Joe Patterson and will be remembered by many in Grayling. Mr. Patterson was a former Grayling attorney.

Mrs. Lillian Jordan, who has been a faithful employee at the A. L. Roberts office for the past several years has resigned to return to her home and keep house for her father, Henry Jordan. Her home is being filled by Ivan Rice at Marquette, Ill.

Christine Sales had eight girls as her guests Tuesday afternoon when she was observing an important event in her life—her birthday. She was eight years old and that many candies topped her birthday cake. Christine made a charming little hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Creque and family and the former's father E. W. Creque Sr., of Flint, were at their cabin at Lake Margrethe for the week end. Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Newton of Clifford, Mich. and the M. T. Younkou family of Detroit spent part of the week end at the Creque cabin and also at the Au-Sa-Hu Club on the South Branch.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Newell and family and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Papendick attended the funeral Monday of Mrs. Eliza Newell, age 87 years, who passed away at her home in Fyfe Lake Friday evening following a two-day illness. The aged lady attended a family reunion of her family in Grayling on the Fourth at Kyle Lake, she having planned the whole affair. Surviving are her sons Bryan Newell, Clifton Newell of Fyfe Lake and Clyde Newell of Detroit. Also there are 23 grandchildren and 21 great grandchildren. Mrs. Newell was among the first settlers in Fyfe Lake, having resided there from the time she was 19 years old.

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Miss Joan Montour left for Detroit Thursday night to visit her sisters in Detroit and vicinity for a couple of weeks.

Mrs. Henry Estelle of Gaylord spent last week visiting at the home of her cousin Ernest Bissonette and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Wylie have moved from the Sam Rasmussen apartments to the Jack Callahan house on the South Side.

Postmaster and Mrs. James McDonnell and daughter Miss Elaine, were in LeRoy, Mich., Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wood had as week end guests Mr. and Mrs. Christie Heskett and daughters Beverly and Nan, of Bay City.

Charles Corwin Jr. left for Saginaw Wednesday where he expects to work. His brother Donald is already employed in a shop there.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Bauer, Jr., of Saginaw spent the week end at the Schumann home. They had as their guest Mr. John Gary of Saginaw.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Matson and family of Flint are guests this week of the former's mother, Mrs. Elmer Matson and brother Latham.

Health Officer Mrs. Agnes Bissonette reports a case of chicken pox in Grayling, who is little Loreli Schmidt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Schmidt.

Folks who dislike baking in hot weather will find plenty of choice baked goods at a bake sale to be held Saturday afternoon at Conne's Grocery by St. Mary's Altar society.

Mrs. Robert LaMotte and children returned home Sunday after spending the past month visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Carriereau who accompanied her home. The LaMottes are entertaining Mr. and Mrs. Aloysius Carriereau and daughter of Detroit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Heric and daughter Patsy Hope accompanied Mrs. Heric's sister Mrs. Walter Sherman and family of Muskegon Heights to East Tawas for the week end. They were among 23 members of the family at the home of the ladies' parents for Sunday.

There were 16 present at the social meeting of the American Legion hall Tuesday evening. Mrs. Percy Failing held the high score for pinocle and Miss Odie Sheehy the consolation. The entertainment committee were Mrs. Maurice Gorman, Mrs. Earl Wood and Mrs. Wilfred Laurant.

Mrs. Carrie Feldhauser, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Feldhauser and daughter Louise, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Feldhauser were in Ann Arbor for a couple of days last week visiting Mr. and Mrs. William Feldhauser. The latter is laid up with a broken shoulder as the result of a fall from a step-ladder at her home.

Dale Penny of Toledo spent the week end visiting his family here.

Donald Peterson of Pontiac spent the week end visiting at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Reynolds and children of Clare visited relatives here Sunday.

Mrs. Harold Cliff is spending a few days visiting Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Horning in Detroit.

Miss Mary Lou Norton of Detroit is spending a few days here, the guest of Miss Helen Cogswell.

Mrs. Everett Corwin and daughter Dorothy Jane are visiting in Blissfield, Mich., for a couple of weeks. Mr. Corwin accompanied them there Wednesday expecting to return here after a brief visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Failing and daughter Ellen Deborah of Edwardsville, Ill., are guests for a couple of weeks at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Ellen Failing, also visiting the E. J. Olson family.

Mrs. Mary Hein is enjoying a visit from her granddaughter and husband Mr. and Mrs. William Matthews of Lansing. They are also spending some time with the latter's mother, Mrs. Ethel Robey, at Shaw's Park on the river.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Nadeau and family of Pinconning spent Sunday, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Laurant, coming to accompany home their daughter Judith Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Gorman drove to Clare Sunday and accompanied home their son Clayton, who had been at the Boy Scout camp at Crooked Lake for a month.

Mrs. Charles Daugherty of Augres is visiting at the home of James Brown. Mr. and Mrs. Brown spent Sunday in Augres and Mrs. Daugherty accompanied them home.

Miss June Morris has enrolled at the Dearborn Beauty Academy in Dearborn to take a course in beauty culture. Miss Phyllis accompanied her sister to remain for a visit.

Wesley LaGrow spent the week end here coming to accompany his family home, who had been visiting Mrs. LaGrow's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Burrows since the forepart of July.

Douglas Bishop and James Rogers of Shaker Heights, Cleveland, are spending a couple of weeks vacationing here. They are enjoying the fishing immensely, arising early and staying on the lakes and streams late at night. Mr. Rogers is a medical student at Western Reserve University.

The Ninth Annual Showboat will be staged this year at Lowell, Michigan on July 31, August 1, 2, and 3. The boat, which is a replica of an old Mississippi River steamer, is floated on oil drums and actually travels down the river bringing a show troupe of one hundred fifty people to the dock-stage.

### Navy Recruiting Party Coming Tues.

The Grayling Mercantile Co. is sponsoring a Navy Recruiting Party on Tuesday, July 30, at 8:00 p. m. at the company's store. The party will be held in the large hall of the store and will feature a display of naval uniforms and equipment. The company is also sponsoring a display of naval uniforms and equipment. The party will be held in the large hall of the store and will feature a display of naval uniforms and equipment. The company is also sponsoring a display of naval uniforms and equipment.

### The Weather

Friday marked the hottest day of the summer so far. The mercury rose to 90 degrees at noon. Monday was a hot, sunny day with the thermometer at 80 degrees. Wednesday was at the hottest part of the day. Thunder showers at night and Tuesday afternoon. It is hoped that this weather will make it very comfortable for the many who are here for the week end. The many who are here for the week end are expected to be very comfortable. The many who are here for the week end are expected to be very comfortable.

### CARD OF THANKS

Mrs. Frank Peck, Mrs. Harry Wright and the other relatives of the late Frank Peck wish to express their deep appreciation and thanks for the kind words and deep sympathy bestowed upon them during their recent bereavement. They especially wish to thank Mr. Butler for his kind assistance.

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Mr. Charles E. Haggis, supervisor of the CCC camp at Higgins Lake, said that the camp is now in the process of being reorganized and that the full quota of 200 men per company will be reached by the end of the month.

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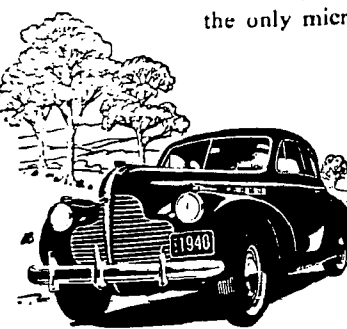
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## O. L. Smith Files Petition for Governor

O. L. Smith of Dearborn, Republican candidate for governor, filed a petition for the governorship of Michigan today at the state capitol in Lansing. The petition was filed in the name of the Michigan Citizens' Committee for the Election of O. L. Smith for Governor.



—Whitley Ford, Duke of Paducah

HELLO friends and howdy neighbors! You know there is a lot of things this country really needs, but there is one thing we don't need, and that's another kitchen tool for shredding vegetables. Vegetables shredders are so thick in department stores they ain't enough to go around, they just demonstrate for one another. Course they can't make no money that way, but they can live on the vegetables they shred. All of these vegetable cutters uppers claim to be direct from the world fairs. Now I know why th' fairs ain't makin' no money th' place is full of shredder demonstrators. In Germany they ain't allowed to can anything in tin cans, goin' to use th' metal to make guns. If we could put all th' metal used in vegetable shredders in one big pile of peace an' good will we ought to have enough to last th' whole world a couple o' hundred years. Be seein' you on Plantation Party, red net work Wednesday nite. I'm goin' to th' wagon—these shoes are killin' me.

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## Rice Cutting Under Way at Houghton Lake

The work of cutting the wild rice and other obnoxious marine growth at Houghton Lake was begun last week under the supervision of the Lakes and Streams committee of the Board of Supervisors.

The contract for the work has been awarded to R. Roderick of Coleman, Mich., who is a specialist in that line, having and operating equipment especially designed for that class of work. His power mowing machine, operated from a boat or scow, has a 14-foot cutting bar and readily cuts grass and weeds some two feet under the surface. It is capable of cutting several acres a day.

Wild rice for a long time has been spreading fast over the lake, becoming a menace to fishermen and the operation of motor boats and its control is becoming quite a serious problem. For the last few years the rice has been cut by Ray Walling under the direction of the Houghton Lake Chamber of Commerce but the task became such a financial bur-

den upon the business men around the lake that the task of weed control has been assumed by the Board of Supervisors. Starting with a little patch off inclusive.

Houghton Lake village, first planted a few years ago by a hotel owner to attract ducks, the rice has spread until four large beds have developed, estimated to cover 1,200 acres. By cutting the rice every year it is hoped that it can be killed—Rosecommon, Herald-News.

Friday, 7:30 p. m. O. H. Lee, Pastor.

CALVARY CHURCH

The Book—2 Tim 3:16 The Blood Heb 9:22

That Blessed Hope, Titus 2:13

Mission Station

216 Alger St.

Pastor, F. D. Barnes

Sunday Services

Sunday School 10:00 A. M.

Young People 6:45 P. M.

Prayer 7:30 P. M.

Midweek Services

Tuesday—Prayer 7:30 P. M.

Thursday—Everybody's Bible Class 7:30 P. M.

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(Woodburn schoolhouse in Maple Forest)

Meetings

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11:00 A. M.—Sunday School.

8:00 P. M.—Evening Service.

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Y. P. M. S. 7:00 p. m.

Prayer 7:30 p. m.

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## Grange Notes

Juvenile Grange members, remember that on August 3rd Mrs. DeLaMater expects to be present at your evening meeting. So everyone come if possible as this will be the evening meeting for everybody. Lunch after business.

The young members are very much pleased with a bible all their own, presented to them by Mrs. DeLaMater.

## CAMP HIGGINS LAKE

672nd Co. CCC S-95 (Mich)

Camp Higgins Lake received 36 new recruits this month from the following counties: Midland, 10; Saginaw, 20; Rosecommon, 1; Crawford, 5. For the first time in two years the CCC camps have not received their full quota of